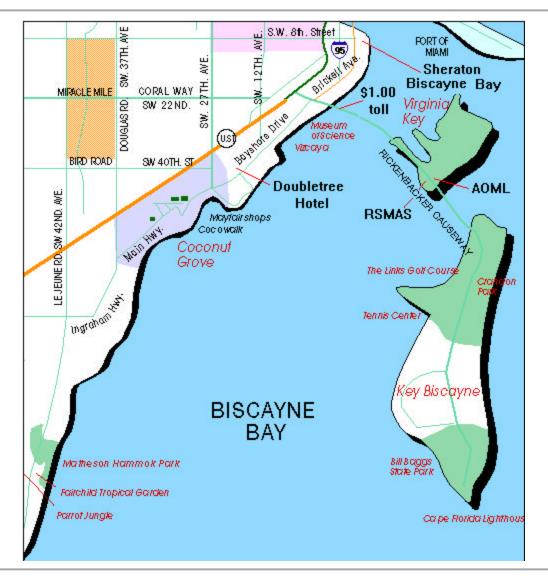
Grove & Key Map



There are two hotels near AOML popular with our visitors. They both offer government rates.

The Sheraton Biscayne Bay

is near downtown Miami, on Brickell Point. If you ask for directions, locals may call this hotel the Sheraton Brickell Point.

495 Brickell Ave. (305) 373 6000

To get to the Sheraton from Miami International Airport, follow the signs to 95 South, Le Juene Avenue southbound. This will be the second stoplight as you leave the airport. Turn right onto Le Jeune. Once on LeJuene, travel about 1/2 mile to SR 836 (passing under the Dolphin Expressway (SR 836) and turn left onto SR 836 eastbound. Once on 836 you will pass through a toll for \$0.25. After the toll, look on your right for

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the exit leading to I-95 southbound. Take the ramp, and travel to Exit 1, Rickenbacker Causeway and Key Biscayne (about 3 miles). Take the offramp, you will slow down, pass through a traffic light or two and the roadway will turn left and pass under I-95. After passing under I-95, go straight through one traffic light, then turn left on Brickell Avenue at the next traffic light. Continue down Brickell about 3 miles. The Sheraton is on your right immediately before the bridge over the Miami River.

To get to AOML from the Sheraton, leave the parking lot and turn left on Brickell Avenue. Follow Brickell about 3 miles to Rickenbacker Causeway, and turn left towards the toll plaza. The toll is a dollar. From the toll plaza, follow the causeway about 3.5 to 4 miles. When you see signs for the Miami Seaquarium, you are about 1/4 mile from AOML, which will be on your left. It is a 5 story, grey concrete structure. You will turn left from the causeway onto Virginia Beach Drive, then AOML will be on your left and the NMFS SE Fisheries Center will be on your right.

The DoubleTree Hotel Coconut Grove

is in Coconut Grove, and close to restuarants and nightlife.

2649 South Bayshore Drive. (305) 858 2500

To get to the DoubleTree from Miami International Airport, follow the signs to 95 South, Le Juene Avenue southbound. This will be the second stoplight as you leave the airport. Turn right onto Le Jeune. Follow Le Juene south to US1 and turn left onto US1 (North). Follow US1 to 27th Avenue, and turn right on 27th Avenue. Follow 27th Ave. until it ends at South Bayshore Drive. Turn left onto S. Bayshore and travel two blocks. The DoubleTree will be on the left, on the corner off of Darwin and S. Bayshore. If you pass Montey's seafood restaurant (on the right), you have traveled too far.

To get to AOML from the Doubletree, turn left on S. Bayshore Drive and follow it north to US1 (Brickelle Avenue). Turn right onto US1 (Brickelle Ave.) and make the immediate right onto the Rickenbacker Causeway. The toll plaza will be immediately in front of you. The toll is a dollar. From the toll plaza, follow the causeway about 3.5 to 4 miles. When you see signs for the Miami Seaquarium, you are about 1/4 mile from AOML, which will be on your left. It is a 5 story, grey concrete structure. You will turn left from the causeway at the traffic light onto Virginia Beach Drive. Proceed approximately 100 meters and make a left turn into the AOML parking lot. The entrance to the NMFS SE Fisheries Center is directly across the streeet.

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